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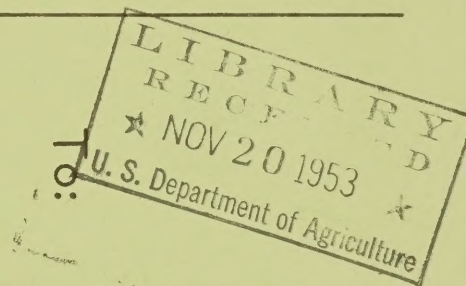
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NEWER GLADS - FALL & WINTER 1953-54

ACE OF SPADES (Sisson '50) 454 (EM). Perhaps nearest black of any gladiolus. Buds are truly coal black, opening to deepest maroon, rich and silky. The very large florets are nicely waved, and up to six are open at a time on tall, willowy stems. Propagation and germination are very good.
L .50, M .35, S .25, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50

ANDRENA (Armstrong '50) 460 (M). A lovely color - light orchid rose with a large creamy white center. 7 or 8 ruffled florets of good size are open at once on spikes of moderate height.
L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts 10-.25, 100-2.00

AUREOLE (Pruitt '49) 410 (EM). Not the largest nor the tallest yellow, but surely one of the prettiest. Also one of the most reliable, regularly opening 6 or more heavily ruffled florets of a clear medium shade of yellow without markings. Stems are straight and graceful; tall enough for cutting.
L 2-.30, M 2-.20, S 3-.25, Blts 40-.25, 100-.50

BERMUDA (Roberts '52) 531 (M). Lovely light coral pink with quite a prominent creamy white throat. Bermuda has about the heaviest substance and most lavish ruffling yet seen in glads. It also opens more florets at once than most, from 9 to 12, and nearly all of the remaining buds show color. Flower-head could stand a few more inches in length, but for beauty and florescence it is tops. A fair propagator.
L \$3.00, M \$2.50, S \$2.00, Bulblets .40 each, 10-\$3.20

BLUE BOY (Butt '48) 476 (M). Probably the closest to a true blue glad and a fine variety, although not as tall as Ravel or Blue Beauty. However the color is much better and it will open about seven at once. A good grower for a blue. Always an early sellout with us.
L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts 20-.25, 100-\$1.00

BLUE DEVIL (Larus '51) 479 (EM). Fine novelty violet blue - one that invariably attracts attention in the garden or in the show room. A medium dark blue with red violet throat darts on a cream white center. Seven or eight florets are open on fairly tall straight spikes.
L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Bulblets .30 ea., 10-2.40

BLACK CHERRY (Rich '48) 554 (M). A dark rich maroon red that has stood the test of time. Smooth, velvety, very dark color without markings. 7-8 large florets are open at once on tall stems with medium flowerheads. Always one of the most admired of the black reds, with larger florets than most.
L .50, M .40, S .30, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50

BOISE BELLE (Roberts '48) 433 (L). A true exhibition variety that has won innumerable blue ribbons and many grand championships thruout the country. It will open from 10 to 12 florets in perfect formation on spikes that are usually tall, some shorter ones. The outer edges are salmon pink, the entire center a clear light yellow, with deep pink edging around lip petals.
L .25, M 2-.30, S 3-.25, Bulblets 15-.25, 100-1.50

BRIER (Palmer '51) 462-468 (M). An extra nice medium dark lavender with a rather small creamy throat. Should make a wonderful cutflower glad, as the color is most attractive and all plant habits are good.
L .40, M .30, S .20, Blts 10-.25, 100-2.00

BURMA ROSE (Lasch '53) 563 (EM). A Burma sport with lighter more attractive coloring, medium rose with a darker rose throat. Should be much more useful to the florist than the older variety from which it sported. If you can grow good Burma you will be more than pleased with Burma Rose.
L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Bulblets .25, 10-2.00

CARMEN CORLISS (Roberts '53) 430 (EM). A lovely glad that more than makes up for a slight lack of height in beauty of form and color. The exquisitely ruffled and fluted flowers are a soft coral pink with bright yellow lip petals, all overlaid with a sheen of glistening crystals which sparkle in the sunlight. A spike of Carmen Corliss was judged the most beautiful glad at the 1953 Connecticut show. We have had a lot of fine reports on it from those who grew it last season.
L 3.00, M 2.00, S 1.25, Blts .40, 10-3.00

CHEROKEE (G. Snyder '53) 590 (M). A fine novelty, and a variety which seems to be headed for top spot in the popular A. O. C. class. It should be a grand show glad and a popular home garden flower. The color is an attractive reddish bronze that is quite bright; 7 or 8 large florets open on tall spikes. L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Bulblets .25 each, 10-2.00

CHINOOK (N. H. Lines '49) 532 (M). Giant clear salmon self that can make marvelous spikes with a lot of florets open on very tall spikes. A fine color that is liked by everyone. Excellent for baskets. L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts 10-.25, 100-2.00

COLOGNE (Roberts '48) 342 (EM). One of the few fragrant glads developed to date, also bright and attractive for home decoration. Deep pink with a small creamy white blotch. Mild rose fragrance. L .30, M .20, S 2-.25, Blts 10-.25

COLUMBIA (Roberts '51) 407 (EM). Beautiful creamy white with a definite rose edging that varies somewhat with the weather. Up to 7 or 8 round lightly waved florets are open at once on fairly tall spikes that are always straight and graceful. An extra good keeper when cut, and holds up when placed in water better than many kinds. It also can take any kind of weather in the field. L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts 10-.30, 100-2.40

CORAL ACE (Bunn '53) 533 (EM). A color sport of Burma that seems to surpass the original in growth and vigor. The tall massive spikes carry at least seven huge ruffled flowers open at once, the color a clear coral or salmon pink with an orange-red spot on lip. Intensely ruffled and fluted. Grand. L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts 4-.30, 10-.60, 100-5.00

CREAM ORCHIDS (Fischer '51) 406 (E). Another nice novelty glad, with florets so heavily crimped and ruffled that they appear to be quite laciniated. Six medium sized flowers of clear cream color will open at once on tall wiry stems. A very good propagator. L .40, M .30, S .20, Blts 10-.30

CROWN JEWEL (Fischer '51) 467 (EM). Light rosy lavender with violet darts on lip petals with a small cream border. Lovely frilled florets of medium size, with about 6 open on slender spikes. L .40, M .30, S .20, Blts 10-.30

CRUSADER (Fischer '52) 301 (E). Not large nor tall but very attractive; one of our favorite glads. A daintily frilled snow white with deep lavender throat spears. A real color gem. L 1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts 10-.75

CRYSTAL ORCHID (Browne '52) 500 (EM). A fine white sport of Elizabeth the Queen that seems to develop longer flowerheads than Elizabeth. Ruffled creamy white with light rose lines in the throat. L .25, M .20, S 2-.20, Blts 15-.25, 100-1.40

DARK DAVID (Morgan '51) 554 (EM). A huge deep red that is probably not as dark as most in this class, but surely the biggest and one of the best. A sellout each year; order early. L .60, M .40, S .25

DESERT DUSK (Rich '50) 586 (ML). A grand smoky with one of the most attractive combinations of colors we have yet seen in its class. The prominent salmon throat really sets off the ground color which is somewhere between gray and tan. Up to 8 or more large flowers open on good stems. L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts 3-.25, 10-.75

DIVINITY (Roberts '52) 306 (M). Lovely pure rich cream without markings except for the deeper throat of light yellow which seems to light up the whole flower. Five or six medium-sized florets open on tall stems that are usually tho not always straight. Extremely heavy substance and ruffling. L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Blts .20, 10-1.50

DOLLY VARDEN (Harris '50) 533 (ML). Huge deep bright salmon pink with large white throat. Those who remember the old-time variety Aladdin will welcome Dolly Varden as a big improvement. Spikes are consistently tall and straight; color most attractive. A fine grower and increaser. L .35, M .25, S 2-.30, Blts 10-.30, 100-2.40

EARLY RED (Knight '53) 450 (VE). A brilliant new scarlet that is outstanding for its color and extreme earliness, blooming at least a week or ten days before Red Cherry and other so-called early reds and scarlets. It will open six or seven large flowers on nice straight slender spikes.
L 1.00, M .60, S .40, Blts 2-.25, 10-1.00

EARLY SNOW (Roberts '53) 400 (E). Pure white without markings, white stamens. The tall slender spikes carry 7 or 8 large flowers open at a time. One of our premium varieties of last season.
L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Blts .20, 10-1.50, 100-12.00

ELMER'S ROSE (Fischer '51) 462 (EM). Bright lavender rose with a deeper rose feather. An attractive color and a very good grower with us; not as large as Noweta Rose but perhaps more consistent growth.
L .40, M .30, S .20, Blts 10-.30

EMBERS (Arnett '51) 450-490 (EM). Sort of a two-toned light red that is very attractive and different. About seven large round and tightly attached florets are open on straight sturdy spikes. Very nice.
L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Blts .20, 10-1.50, 100-12.00

FALCON (Woods '49) 567 (EM). A fine lavender with orchid shaped florets of clear medium lavender, lip petals stippled rose over cream. Six to eight widely flaring, fluted flowers are open at a time on good spikes. One of our top favorites among the lavenders, or any other color for that matter.
L .25, M .20, S 2-.25, Bulblets 10-.25, 100-2.00

FORSYTHIA (Harris '52) 512 (EM). A medium shade of yellow with a distinct greenish cast, especially when in bud and on first opening. Florets are waved and frilled, large, with many open at once.
L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50

FORT KNOX (Torrie-Flad '53) 412-512 (EM). This lovely new yellow was one of the pleasant surprises of the 1953 blooming season for us. A true rival of Gold for color, with many more buds and longer flower head. 6-8 large ruffled florets of heavy substance are open on fine tall stems. Good increase.
L 1.25, M .75, S .50, Blts 2-.30, 10-1.25

FRANCESCA (Toben '50) 566 (ML). Well grown with plenty of water, Francesca can be one of the sensations of any garden or show room. It responds to extra care in growing as do many other glads. A lovely opalescent pink-lavender, opening 7 or more large ruffled flowers at once. A tall grower.
L 1.00, M .60, S .40, Blts 4-.30, 10-.60

GARDEN GOLD (Rich '48) 512 (M). Probably the largest good yellow grown today. A clear medium yellow; throat slightly deeper golden yellow. 6-7 huge bell-like florets open on good stems.
L .40, M .30, S .20, Blts 4-.20, 10-.40

GARNET RUFFLES (Maynard '53) 352 (M). A good-looking new maroon with slight rosy cast. Color is quite dark but not quite a black red probably, altho close to the dividing line between the 52 and 54 color classes. It opens 8 or 9 ruffled florets on wiry stems. Looks like a fine exhibition glad.
L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Blts .25, 10-2.00

GLAD TIDINGS (Arenius '52) 462 (EM). A lovely and distinct shade of medium rose; almost a cerise or raspberry shade but with some light scarlet undertones. The 6 to 8 large open flowers have practically no markings. Stems are tall, with medium length heads. We call it a better Miss Wisconsin.
L 1.50, M 1.00, S .50, Blts 2-.25, 10-1.00 100-8.00

GOLD (Marshall '51) 412 (E). Still a beautiful yellow in spite of some shortcomings. Tho a little shy on buds, flowerhead is long enough for most floral use. Color and ruffling are extremely fine.
L .50, M .35, S .25, Blts 10-.35

GOLDEN DAWN (Savelief '51) 410 (EM). Clear medium yellow without markings. Florets are medium large, with at least 7-8 or more open on tall straight spikes. An excellent cut flower glad.
L .35, M .25, S 2-.35, Blts 15-.25, 100-1.50

GOLDRUFF (Palmer '53) 310 (M). A lovely new variety on the order of Sprite but a different color. Medium yellow with a slight buff undertone; gold lip petals. Opens a lot at once in close double row placement. Stems are tall, flowerheads not too long but O.K. Marvelous ruffling, frilling and fluting. L 2.00, M 1.25, S .75, Blts 2-.30, 10-1.20

GRAY SUMMIT (Butt '50) 486 (M). Fine light gray with faint pink-lavender tints showing through. Throat is clear white with a narrow pink border. An attractive smoky that everyone seems to like. L 2-.30, M 2-.20, S 3-.25, Blts 40-.25, 100-.50

HAMLET (Larus '50) 454 (EM). Nice garnet-maroon, with plain or very slightly waved florets of good size. Stamens are white, giving nice contrast. 6-7 medium large florets open at once. L .40, M .30, S .20, Blts 10-.30, 100-2.40

HARRIET (Everett '51) 370 (EM). Attractive deep reddish purple with a slightly deeper lip feather. Near the color of King David, but of course in smaller size classification. Best of its size and color. L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts 5-.25, 10-.40

HARRISBURGER (Mikle '53) 552 (L). Grand bright red that made some truly magnificent spikes in our trial garden as a seedling in 1952, and again last summer. We gave it an "AA" rating without hesitation. A beautiful glowing shade of clear red, fairly deep but extremely brilliant and glowing. 7 to 9 very large ruffled florets open at once on tall straight spikes with fine long flowerheads. If this new red has any faults we were unable to observe any, except that its rather late blooming season may be a handicap in northern climates. For a real thrill, grow some Harrisburger! L 1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50

HEIRLOOM (Klein '52) 566 (EM). Clear medium lavender with small pure white throat and midrib lines. 7-8 nicely frilled florets will open at once on spikes of medium height. Has won many prizes at the shows, and as it has excellent opening and keeping qualities it should be good for cutting, too. L 3.00, M 2.00, S 1.00, Blts .25, 10-2.00

HI JINKS (Cassebeer '53) 483 (E). A most attractive light-toned smoky glad. As near as we can describe it, the color is a subdued rose-pink overlaid with slate blue, especially at or near the petal edges. A large snow white throat completes an attractive ensemble. We believe you'll like Hi Jinks. L 1.50, M 1.25, S 1.00, Blts 15-.25, 100-1.50

HOWARD V. WRIGHT (Kadel '52) 410 (EM). Palest of the yellows - a very light creamy yellow, with throat a shade deeper. Florets are rather plain, very large (perhaps 510 class), and are well placed and attached to tall sturdy stems. A good propagator of bulblets which make good growth. L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Blts .20, 10-1.50

JESSIE MAE (Knight '52) 443 (M). A very attractive bright deep coral pink with nicely harmonizing deeper pink throat markings. Florets are large, ruffled, and well placed on moderately tall stems. L 1.00, M .60, S .40, Blts 2-.25, 10-1.00, 100-8.00

JUNE ROSE (Marshall '50) 462 (E). Bright rose with slightly deeper feather. Fine early cutter. L .30, M .20, S 2-.25, Blts 10-.25, 100-2.00

KAREN (Mazur '52) 471 (EM). An excellent novelty in a rather dark rose purple with a strikingly contrasting deep cream center. Florets are somewhat waved and well rounded, with 7 or 8 open at a time. Quite distinct from any other glad, and one you will like if you go for unusual varieties. L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Blts .25, 10-2.00

KING DAVID (Carlson '51) 570 (EM). A beautiful royal purple with slightly deeper red-purple lips. Florets are of the wide-flaring type, with at least seven open at once. Spikes are rather slender and always straight. The ruffled florets have a narrow silver edging around all the petals. L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts 10-.30, 100-2.40

KING SIZE (Hartman '53) 531 (M). Giant of giants, a huge medium-light pink with deep pink throat markings. Up to 8 or 9 open at a time on very tall, strong spikes. Surely a must for the exhibitor. L 3.00, M 2.00, S 1.00, Bulblets .25, 10-2.00

LARGO (Roberts '53) 411 (M). Light yellow with some pink shadings and pink petal tips. A totally unique and lovely combination of these colors. Six or seven nicely ruffled florets are open on fair spikes. More notable for beauty than for stretch of spike, as flowerheads are often rather short. L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Blts .25, 10-2.00, 100-15.00

LAVENDER BEAUTY (Kolb '50) 466 (M). A lovely pinkish lavender of uniform coloring; a true orchid shade that is just a little pinker than that of Tyrone or Elizabeth the Queen. Seven large, nicely frilled florets open at once on good uniform spikes. Good grower and a fast propagator. L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts 20-.25, 100-1.00

LEAH GORHAM (Gorham '51) 451 (EM). Excellent bright medium red with a showy white center. A dandy cutflower glad in this color, with good plant habits including fine growth and increase. L .30, M .20, S 2-.30, Blts 10-.25, 100-2.00

LILA WALLACE (Fairchild '47) 464 (E-EM). Bright medium rose with deep rose lip petals. Good. L 2-.30, M 2-.20, S 3-.25, Blts 40-.25, 100-.50

LODESTAR (Palmer '50) 412 (EM). A really beautiful yellow with lovely clear color and fine full spikes of medium height. About the prettiest yellow we know of. 6-8 large flowers open. L .25, M 2-.30, S 3-.25, Blts 20-.25

LOOK (Taylor-Rockley '53) 540 (M). A very promising new light pink that looks as if it would become a topnotch commercial. It opens at least six very large flowers on tall slender spikes that are a joy to cut. Plant habits apparently all to the good. One of the best things we had in our trial garden. L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Blts .20, 10-1.60

MARGERY (Melk '53) 462 (EM). Fine new medium rose glad with a small deeper rose feather. Sometimes has a little deeper flecking which does not detract. About the same shade of rose as Lila Wallace but with round, fuller florets, of which eight are open at once. Good attachment and regular floret placement. Very bright and attractive, and a glad everyone will want to grow. L 3.00, M 2.00, S 1.25, Blts .40, 10-3.00, 100-24.00

MARVELOUS (Lins '51) 443 (ML). Bright medium pink with a scarlet blotch; very heavily ruffled florets. Nearly everyone who sees it likes it for its lovely color and ruffling. Rather short flowerhead. L 1.00, M .70, S .30, Blts 2-.25, 10-1.00

MESA MIST (Hartman '52) 486 (M). Soft lavender gray of practically self color that is the closest approach to a true gray color in glads. Six good sized florets are open on tall spikes. Fine novelty. L 1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50

MOTHER FISCHER (Fischer '51) 400 (EM). Clear white with very slight lavender throat markings which do not appreciably detract. It will open seven on very tall stems that are always straight. L .40, M .30, S .20, Blts 10-.25

MRS. RHODA PETERSON (Menzies '51) 582 (E). Plant this smoky to bloom early and it will reward you with some grand flowers. If weather is hot it should be cut when 1 or 2 florets are open, as it will fade in hot sunshine. Dark gray smoky with lighter throat; many large ruffled florets. L .50, M .35, S .25, Blts 10-.30

NORDIC QUEEN (Fischer '52) 540 (EM). Very large pale pink with an inner glow of cream from the center; a lovely pastel shade. Florets are not heavily ruffled, but are lightly waved and quite fluted with raised midribs. Makes some shorter spikes but they average good here. A real beauty. L .75, M .50, S .35, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50

NOWETA ROSE (Fischer '50) 568 (EM). Dark rosy lavender with a red-violet throat spear. Florets are large, waved and fluted. 8-10 open on tall stems. Usually plenty of buds, but they are spaced rather close making the spike appear somewhat crowded and slightly lacking in stretch. However, it can make a sensational spike and it is a frequent winner at the shows. Much admired in our garden. L .40, M .30, S .20, Blts 10-.30

OKINAWA (Loar '50) 381 (M). Light chocolate brown usually flecked deeper brown. The throat markings are rather odd - a combination of dark gray and red. Not too tall but it opens a lot of flowers at a time. One of the best of the medium sized smokies and a fine show glad. L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts 25-.25, 100-.80

PAINTED LADY (Roberts '52) 443 (M). There are lots of pink glads, but here is one that is truly different. Pure pink, with the creamy white lip petals outlined and bordered bright scarlet-pink. Florets are ruffled and fluted and six will open at a time. Stem below first floret a little short. L .75, M .50, S .30, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-4.00.

PAULINE (G.W. Wright '52) 400 (EM). New large tall pure white that performed well for us the past season. Color clear and good, and it opens about seven on tall stems. Good increaser. L 1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts 10-.35, 100-2.50

PENNANT (Palmer '52) 440 (ML). A beautiful soft shade of pink with never a fleck or streak to mar its perfection of color. Opens a lot of flowers at once - 8 or 10 - on spikes of moderate height. Has more color than Phantom Beauty, and seems an improvement on that variety and Evangeline. L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts 5-.25, 10-.40, 100-3.00

PERSIAN RUG (Roberts '50) 486 (M). Always a center of attraction is this unique combination of smoky mulberry and rose, with a very large cream-yellow center. 6-8 large flowers are usually but not always well placed on fair spikes. Rather variable growth but a great novelty. L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts 10-.30, 100-2.40

PINK CHIFFON (Fischer '53) 440-460 (EM). A clear and refined light orchid pink shading lighter toward the center. One of the prettiest of the very light-toned glads; florists could use this. L 1.50, M 1.25, S .75, Blts 2-.25, 10-1.00

PINK PRIDE (Arenius '52) 530 (EM). Very large and very tall is this medium light pink with a deeper pink feather. We have heard that it sometimes flecks, but it has been clear here. A rival of King Size for floret size; not quite as tall altho tall enough. Prettier than many giants. L 1.50, M 1.00, S .50, Blts 2-.25, 10-1.00 100-8.00

POINSETTIA (Johnson-Weeks '52) 450 (M). Excellent scarlet of uniform coloring and the ability to make consistently good spikes. It opens six to eight good-sized flowers on fine tall spikes. Bulblets rather hard to germinate without special treatment. You will like Poinsettia. L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts 10-.40, 100-3.00

PRESTO (Roberts '52) 401 (EM). Sometimes comes a clear white, sometimes flushed pink, but an attention-getter either way; its very prominent pink-scarlet blotch attracts immediate attention. Florets are rather plain appearing, in fact Presto is about the only non-ruffled glad we have introduced. However, it is very popular with those who favor strongly blotched varieties. L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts 10-.25, 100-2.00

PRINCESS (Larus '53) 466 (M). A rather deep but bright and attractive rosy lavender, with faint rose lines toward the throat. Florets are nicely frilled, with raised and fluted midribs. Princess is a tall grower that looks to be an excellent commercial prospect. 8-10 open at a time. L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Blts .30, 10-2.40

PROSPECTOR (Leffingwell '53) 412 (E-EM). Beautiful light yellow with deeper buff-yellow lip petals. The six or seven open florets are beautifully frilled and crimped at the edges. Any size bulb, \$3.00

RED CHERRY (Roberts '46) 436 (E). About the earliest of the good reds, excepting only Dr. Knight's new Early Red. Red Cherry will open up to 7 large frilled flowers on very good spikes.
L 2-.30, M 2-.20, S 3-.25, Blts 40-.25, 100-.50

RED FEATHER (Butt '51) 552 (M). One of Len Butt's best in his long line of fine reds. It will undoubtedly replace his Mighty Monarch when stock is more plentiful, as the flowers are larger and more widely opened. It has the same fine clear deep red color, and it will open about as many at a time, 7 to 9.
L 1.50, M 1.00, S .60, Blts 2-.25, 10-1.00

RED RADIANCE (Melk '53) 450 (EM). An extremely brilliant scarlet red that opens six to eight large florets on tall willowy stems. One of the best new reds we tried out last summer.
L 1.50, M 1.00, S .75, Blts .20, 10-1.50

RED TAPE (Butt '53) 536 (M). A somewhat lighter, brighter version of Red Feather. Red Tape is a very large rather plain petaled glad; very striking with its many open florets and tall husky plants.
L 2.00, M 1.25, S .75, Blts 2-.30, 10-1.20

RED WING (H.V. Wright '48) 436 (ML). An older scarlet, but still good. Everyone should grow it.
L 2-.30, M 2-.20, S 3-.25, Blts 25-.25, 100-.80

REGINA (Palmer '53) 420 (EM). A very lovely new color in glads, light buff orange with some peach or apricot shadings, especially on reverse of petals. There is a bright pink scarlet spot in the throat. Florets are very large, perhaps big enough to place it in the 520 class, very ruffled and fluted. 6-7 are open at once on very tall heavy stems, long flowerheads. Vigorous and beautiful.
L 2.00, M 1.25, S .75, Blts 2-.30, 10-1.20

ROSITA (Woods '52) 563 (EM). A grand rose pink that should become an all-time favorite. A light orchid rose with a stunning deep rose blotch that gives a beautiful effect. The deeper rose coloring is also evident along the midribs. It opens 7 or 8 big florets that are ruffled, rolled and fluted on tall straight spikes. A fine grower, making long 20-bud flowerheads. Don't fail to grow Rosita!
L 1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-4.00

ROSY FUTURE (Pletcher '51) 464 (EM). A rather deep but bright cerise rose with a few darker rose red lines on the lip petals. Placement and attachment are not all that might be desired, but it is undoubtedly due for a good share of popularity due to its unusual and attractive color.
L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts 20-.25, 100-1.00

ROYAL FLUSH (Barrett '50) 552 (M-ML). A fine deep red of about the same color depth as Red Feather but of entirely different form. The 8 or 10 open florets are round, ruffled, and closely placed on good strong stems. Royal Flush has been one of our favorite reds since its introduction.
L 1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts 3-.25, 10-.65

ROYAL SCOT (Taylor '52) 470 (EM). This looks like about the best new purple for commercial use. Not quite as dark as Wonder Boy or The Rajah, Royal Scot is more of a blue purple rather than a red-purple. It will open at least seven plain petaled florets on ideal cutting spikes. Fine propagator.
L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts 5-.25, 10-.40, 100-3.00

ROYAL TREAT (Lins '52) 452 (EM). Another dandy - this time a very dark red with rosy undertones. Almost a maroon. Florets are beautifully ruffled with full round petals of good substance. Grows tall, with well-balanced spikes. Darker and considerably redder than Burma. Fine growth & increase.
L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts 3-.30, 10-.75, 100-6.00

RUFFLED EBONY (Fischer '53) 454 (E-EM). New black red that is about as dark as any developed to date, yet with much more life to the color than most. An extremely deep rosy-maroon with a silken sheen and intense ruffling. The height of beauty in a black red.
L 1.50, M 1.25, S .75, Blts 2-.30

SEASHELL (Roberts '49) 540 (ML). Beautiful light pink with a snow white throat. Six very large full-petaled florets are open at a time on very tall husky stems. Flecks very little here. Lovely!
L .25, M 2-.30, S 3-.25, Blts 15-.25, 100-1.50

SIERRA SNOW (Harris '51) 400-500 (EM). Big tall white with cream throat and faint darker lines. Capable of making tremendous exhibition spikes of champion caliber. Often grows six feet tall, with up to 8 or 10 open.

L .35 M .20 S 2-.30 Blts 6-.25, 30-1.00

SKYLARK (Palmer '48) 423 (EM). Bright orange with yellow center. Still as good as any orange we grow. L 2-.30, M 2-.20, S 3-.25, Blts 40-.25, 100-.50

SOUTHERN BELLE (Fischer '52) 483-443 (EM). Medium to deep pink with prominent white throat and a definite blue picotee edge. As it grows here it is definitely a pink and not a smoky, however. Florets are nicely frilled, with 7-9 open on good stems. Excellent bulblet germination and growth. L .75, M .50, S .35, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50

SOUTH SEAS (Wilson '47) 491 (ML). Deep-toned smoky gray with a bright red throat feather that enlivens the color considerably. A strong husky grower, and a frequent show winner in its class. L .20 M 2-.25 S 3-.25 Blts 25-.25, 100-.80

SPIC & SPAN (Carlson '46) 444 (EM). Most popular deep pink to date; one that everyone should have. L 2-.30, M 2-.20, S 3-.20, Blts 40-.25, 100-.50

SPRITE (Palmer '52) 320 (EM-M). A lovely bright golden orange with yellow center, very faint red-orange lines on lip petal midribs. Eight to ten heavily ruffled and fluted flowers are open in close but perfect placement on compact spikes. A beauty that you should grow if you like medium sized glads. L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts 5-.25, 10-.40, 100-3.00

STORMY WEATHER (Barrett '47) 582 (M). A grand light-toned smoky that has been a favorite of ours for many years. Smooth rosy gray with some tan or salmon tints and a creamy throat on which is some light rose stippling. 8-10 open at once on tall, straight willowy spikes. An extra nice smoky. L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts 15-.25, 100-1.50

SUNSET GOLD (Clegg '51) 421 (EM). A much admired light salmon orange with a rather prominent dull redish throat. Florets are round, slightly waved, with 7 open on very good spikes. Should be a dandy show flower and our local florists liked it, too. A very nice fall color. L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-4.00

SUN SPOT (Roberts '45) 417 (M). Our first introduction, still going strong with several grand championships to its credit each year. A lovely apricot buff with a rosy red throat spot. 8 or 9 and often up to 11 large ruffled flowers are open at once on spikes that average good. A fine propagator. L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts 40-.25, 100-.50

THE RAJAH (Jack '51) 570 (EM). A very pleasing shade of rich royal purple characterizes this fine glad. The large, round, full-petaled florets are nicely ruffled, with at least six open at a time. L .25, M 2-.35, S 3-.30, Blts 10-.20, 100-1.50

THISISIT (Spencer '49) 432 (EM). A rather pretty salmon pink variety that has a definite and pleasing fragrance. A nice color for bouquets, and when several spikes are brought inside the mild rose scent is very noticeable. Florets could open up a little more widely, but they are nicely frilled. L .30, M .20, S 2-.25, Blts 10-.20, 100-1.50

THUNDERBOLT (Pierce '53) 454-464 (M). Dark rose red with maroon shadings and a black red throat. By no means among the darkest of the black reds but a good one whatever its classification. L 1.25, M 1.00, S .75, Blts 2-.25, 10-1.00, 100-8.00

TRAIL'S END (Ficht '49) 563 (M). Big, beautiful light orchid rose with a fairly large cream blotch. An extra vigorous grower that opens about 7 huge round flowers on tall husky stems. L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts 20-.25, 100-1.00

TYRONE (Deam '52) 466 (EM). A clear light lavender with small cream-white center, very slight darker stippling at outer edge of the throat. Opens 7 to 9 in regular placement on nice spikes. L 1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts 2-.25, 10-1.00, 100-8.00

VALENTINE (Larus '52) 421 (M). Quite a unique color combination; a medium shade of salmon or orange-pink, with a prominent light scarlet blotch. Should be a good show glad in this color.
L 1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts 2-.25, 10-1.00

VISION (Roberts '53) 331 (M). A beautiful light salmon with a very large cream center. The ruffled flowers are medium-large in size, round, and of extra heavy substance. We predict many future show winnings for Vision, as it is in an uncrowded class and opens more at once than most, 7-8 or more.
L 3.00, M 2.00, S 1.25, Blts .40, 10-3.20

VOO-DUN-IT (Kadel '51) 490 (EM). Here is a glad that will especially appeal to those who go for the unusual varieties, as Voo-Dun-It is just that, being a smoky bronze-rose with violet rose dots on a yellow center. 6-8 large, waved and pointed florets are open at once in rather informal style.
L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Blts .20, 10-1.50

WHITE CLOUD (Roberts '52) 500 (EM). The only white glad we know of that can be truly called snow white. In addition to its purity of color (only the stamens being light lavender) White Cloud is notable for its huge size and lovely ruffled florets, of which 6 will open at a time. Beautiful.
L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Blts .20, 10-1.50, 100-12.00

WHITE GODDESS (Roberts '48) 500 (EM). Vigorous large white with creamy throat. A grand white.
L 2-.30, M 2-.20, S 3-.25, Blts 40-.25, 100-.50

WHITE SYMPHONY (Webb '51) 500 (M). Nice large white with faint throat markings. Very good.
L .50, M .35, S .25, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-4.00

WONDER BOY (Tyndall '52) 470 (EM). This new purple surpasses all others we have ever grown in florescence, weather resistance, etc. A clear purple usually, and the occasional flecking does not detract from the fine color. At least 7 or 8 large flowers are open on formal-type show spikes.
L 1.50, M 1.00, S .50, Blts 2-.25, 10-1.00

YULETIDE (Roberts '53) 437 (M). A light but bright scarlet with light yellow lines in the throat that looks like a sprinkling of gold dust in sunlight or artificial light. 5-6 large waved florets open.
L 2.00, M 1.50, S 1.00, Blts .25, 10-2.00

SMALL & MINIATURE GLADS

ATOM. Tiny light scarlet, fine for arrangements. L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts 20-.25, 100-1.00

BO-PEEP. Lovely small light salmon pink. L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts 20-.25, 100-1.00

CORSAGE. Med-small cream, rose feather. L .30, M .20, S 2-.25, Blts 6-.25, 100-3.00

DAINTINESS. Exquisite ruffled cream white. L 3.00, M 2.00, S 1.25, Blts .25, 10-2.00

DRESDEN. Lovely ruffled light yellow. L 1.00, M .60, S .40, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-4.00

FIGURINE. Salmon buff with markings. L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts 5-.25, 12-.50, 100-3.50

FLAIR. Unusual and striking cream, rose-purple blotch. M 1.00, S .60, Blts 2-.25, 10-1.00

FLASHLIGHT. Wonderful small scarlet and yellow. L 4.00, M 3.00, S 2.00, Blts .50, 10-4.00

FROLIC. Tiny deep yellow splashed scarlet; striking and unique. Any size bulb, 2.00

GAILY CLAD. Fine small yellow, red throat. L 1.50, M 1.00, S .20, Blts 2-.25, 10-1.00

GREMLIN. Very small semi-faceup deep pink. L 1.00, M .60, S .40, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-4.00

JINGLES. Dine show glad, coral pink. L .25, M .20, S 2-.25, Blts 10-.20, 100-1.50

LITTLE GOLD. Beautiful golden orange. L 2-.30, M 3-.25, S 4-.25, Blts 40-.25, 100-.50

LITTLE SWEETHEART. Exquisite pink and white. L .25, M 2-.30, S 2-.20, Blts 25-.25, 100-.80

PETER PAN. Dark salmon, deeper throat. Extra for show. L .25, M 2-.30, S 3-.25, B 15-.20, 100-1.00

PIROUETTE. Medium salmon pink. L 1.00, M .60, S .40, Blts 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-4.00

SKALAWAG. Nice new pink and yellow. L 3.00, M 2.00, S 1.25, Blts .25, 10-2.00

STATUETTE. Extra nice little yellow, many open. L .25, M 2-.30, S 3-.25, B 15-.25, 100-1.25

TWINKLES. Striking deep salmon and yellow. L .30, M .20, S 2-.25, Blts 10-.25, 100-2.00

WEDGWOOD. Medium-small lavender. Extra nice. L 2-.30, M 3-.25, S 4-.25, B 25-.25, 100-.80

WHITE LACE. Lovely med-small ruff. white. L .25, M 2-.30, S 3-.25, Blts 20-.25, 100-1.00

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